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Directors' Meeting

The S.A.D. 44 Board of Directors met in the Telstar Library on Wednesday evening of this week.

The resignations of Denise Brown as Special Education teacher at Telstar Middle School and of Barbara Stevens as Food Services Worker at Crescent Park School, were accepted, with the Superintendent authorized to post vacancies in the positions. The resignations were effective at the close of the 1983-84 school year.

The Directors approved the following appointments for the 1984-1985 school year: Carolyn L. Higgins, Assistant Principal / Athletic Director for the Telstar Complex; Charles F. Raymond, Social Studies, T.R.H.S.; J. Robert Elliott, Mathematics/Science, T.R.H.S.; Susan Foster Baldwin, Fourth Grade, Crescent Park School; Mark Owen Jenkins, Grade Three, Crescent Park School; Peggy Tripp and Anita Remington as Study Hall Aides, T.R.H.S.

Mr. Higgins possesses a B.S. in education from the University of Maine in Presque Isle and a master's degree in education from the U. of M. at Orono. He has taken business courses at Husson College, Bangor, and studies in administration at UMO, UNH, and Plymouth (N. H.) State College. He has had 18 years of experience as a physical education teacher in three schools: Junior High and Senior High in Pittsfield, N. H., and Mount View High School, S.A.D. 3. Mr. Higgins has coached varsity sports, served as club and class advisor, director of athletics and physical education at Pittsfield, N. H., High School for 13 years, served an internship in administration at Mount View High School, S.A.D. 3, and has been involved in a variety of school and community projects. A native of Bradford, Maine, he currently resides in Freedom.

Mr. Raymond has served as a teacher aide at the Telstar Middle School for the past school year.

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WOODSTOCK/GREENWOOD SWIM PROGRAM TO BEGIN JULY 30

The Woodstock/Greenwood Swim Program will begin on July 30, 1984. Lessons will be held at the public beach on Lakeside Drive in Bryant Pond, Monday through Friday for three weeks. Registration forms are available at the Town Clerk's Office in Bryant Pond. All registration forms must be received by the instructor no later than July 28, 1984. Classes are available for children of any age.

MS. WADE OF NTL TO SPEAK AT WOMEN IN BUSINESS DINNER AT SUBBURY INN

Gwendolyn Gibbs Wade PhD of National Training Laboratories will be speaker July 10 for a Women in Business dinner. The monthly meeting will be held in Bethel at the Subbury Inn at 5:30.

Ms. Wade as part of NTL community outreach program will lead the exploration of Male/Female relationships in the work force. The following topics will be touched on. Problems women encounter in supervisory roles, balancing assertiveness and femininity, and the need for supportiveness among women.

Ms. Wade is Chairperson of the NTL Board of Directors, received her degree in social/clinical psychology from Michigan State University. She recently completed postgraduate work in Gestalt Organization and Systems Development at the Gestalt Institute in Cleveland. Dr. Wade is a private consultant working with individuals and client systems.

Ongoing and new members and guests are invited to attend. Reservations may be made by calling Barbara Long at 743-7725 no later than June 29.

He holds a B.S. degree from the University of Massachusetts at Amherst. His professional experience includes: Amherst (Mass.) Public Schools, substitute teacher (all subjects) grades 7-9, instructional aide at an alternative junior continued on Page Five

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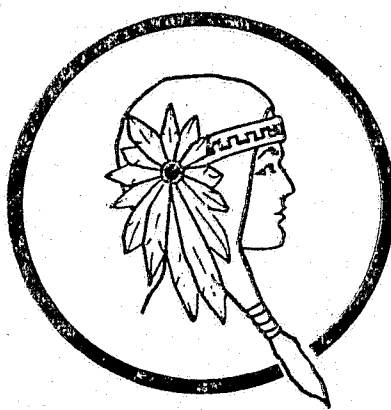
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Mollyockett Day
July 21, 1984

PLANS MOVING RIGHT ALONG

The Bethel Lions Club held a Mollyockett Day Committee meeting at its Lions Den on June 20. The meeting was very productive with input from many of the individual area chairmen as to where preparations stood at that time. And the word from this year's Mollyockett Day Chairman Peter Anderson, was "plans for this year's activities are moving right along, with some loose ends to be finalized."

A FEW REMINDERS

This year's Common Chairman is Howard Donahue: anyone interested in having a booth on the Common should contact Gene Kelly, at 824-2086, those interested in Arts and Crafts should be contacting Jay Willard at 824-2713, for parade and floats the Lion to be seen is Earl Merrill of Bryant Pond or call 665-2334. The above are individual area chairmen, but any Lions Club member can be of service or get you going in the right direction, so don't hesitate in asking or calling.

This year's theme, "Bethel the 1900's" offers a wide range of ideas for floats, and if help is needed, the Bethel Historical Society is a good organization to contact.

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PARTICIPANTS AND STAFF ARRIVE FOR FIRST WEEK OF NTL'S SUMMER CONFERENCES

Last week end saw the arrival of approximately 150 participants and staff for the first week of NTL's 1984 summer conferences in Bethel. Four different programs on the general theme of human resource development are being held this week at the NTL Conference Center on Broad Street and at Gould Academy. In the Monday afternoon orientation session in Bingham Gym, the group was welcomed not only by NTL Executive Director Joseph Potts but also by Joan T. Wiese on behalf of the town of Bethel and by Alvin Barth for Gould Academy.

This week also inaugurates the new season of NTL's Sunrise Seminars. These are informal 45-minute presentations by staff members who are a changing group each week. These seminars are open to members of the Bethel Community at no charge and are held in the Maine Room of the annex behind the NTL Conference Center. Starting time is 7:30 a. m. and the days are Tuesday through Saturday. Earlier this week presentations were made by Charles Seashore, Joseph Potts and Lee Butler. The seminars for the remainder of the week are: Friday, June 29, Richard Orange, "Cultural Differences: A Coming Together", and Saturday, June 30, Sylvia Carter, "Public Ponderings on Power and Poundage Problems."

The topics for each week's seminars are being regularly posted in a number of locations around Bethel, West Bethel, and Locke Mills. Throughout the 8-week season the list of topics will be posted on Tuesdays, but persons who wish to know the topic for Tuesday may call the NTL office at 824-2151 on Monday afternoons. A welcome is extended to all interested persons from the Bethel area.

Notice

Contributors having materials for the Thursday, July 5, edition of "The Citizen" should submit them **ONE DAY EARLIER** than is customary. As there is no delivery on Wednesday, July 4, independent of the Postal Service should mail material no later than Monday, July 2.

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FROM THE
bethel town office

The Board of Selectmen will meet this evening (Thursday) at 7 p. m. in the Town Office to hear and act upon citizen comments about a proposed increase in sewer rates from \$19.50 per 1,000 cubic feet of water usage to \$20.50 per 1,000 cubic feet. Since 1981 when rates were last increased, sewer operating costs have continued to rise to the point that they would surpass expected revenues were rates to remain at \$19.50 per 1,000 cubic feet. Comments may be submitted in writing, if desired, or delivered orally at the hearing. Should the Selectmen approve of the rate increase, bills will be posted after July 15.

"No Parking" signs and posts have arrived at the Town Garage for posting this week along both sides of the Mill Hill Extension Road near the Bethel Inn. Last winter, the Board of Selectmen acted to permit two way traffic and both sides no parking between Broad and Mill Hill Streets following an inspection by D.O.T. safety engineers and discussions with representatives of the Bethel Inn management who stated a preference for maintaining two way traffic. Land surveys completed in 1983 determined that Mill Hill Extension Road is a Town Road to be maintained at public expense, and the pavement width is insufficient to permit parking along the road edge and two way traffic, according to state road safety criteria. Patrons of the Bethel Inn are encouraged to check at the front desk to obtain parking information on the premises.

The next regular meeting of the Board of Selectmen will be Thursday, July 10, at 7 p. m. in the Town Office Meeting Room.

PRIM'S PHARMACY ACCEPTS MOLLYOCKETT DAY PARADE CHALLENGE

Prim's Pharmacy intends to meet the challenge issued by the Bethel Area Health Center last week to enter a better float in this year's Mollyockett Day Parade. Why not your business or organization, too! Let's make this year's parade the best ever!

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GOOD NEWS AND BAD FROM NUCLEAR WASTE COMMISSION

Citizens of the Bethel area who attended the June 21 hearing of the Maine Low Level Radioactive Waste Siting Commission in Augusta received both good and bad news related to the possibility of a radioactive dump being established on the Sunday River. In a decisive vote, the commission passed unanimously a resolution strongly recommending against "shallow land burial" of nuclear wastes, a method of nuclear dumping for which the location on the Sunday River was chosen because of the type of soil found there. "Shallow land burial" has met with widespread public oppositions, due to the fact that all such dumps established previously have leaked radioactive poisons into the surrounding ground water. Alva Morrison, and other members of the local Headwaters Alliance of the Sunday River, hailed the move as "a significant step forward."

The bad news is that this step does not rule out the possibility of a dumping ground in Sunday River. George Seal of the Maine Dept. of Environmental Protection, in testimony describing alternatives to shallow land burial, said that new federal regulations require that any nuclear disposal site, above or below ground, be located in a place which meets federal criteria for isolation from population centers and type of soil where shallow land burial would be deemed acceptable. The Sunday River site was selected along with several others in the State as a location likely to meet all the necessary qualifications. It was made clear in the hearing that if Maine decides to build its own above-ground disposal facility, all sites previously screened for shallow land burial will be viewed as likely candidates for a location. Members of the Headwaters Alliance indicated that they would continue

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NOTICE TO DANCE STUDENTS

Pictures can be picked up at the Studio this Friday afternoon, June 29, at 4 p. m. If this is inconvenient, contact David Hanscom at 836-3872.

A pre-viewing of the "Mary Poppins Video Review" will be shown on Monday, July 9, at the Studio at 7 p. m. Anyone interested is invited to attend.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

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Greenwood City

— Mrs. Colista Morgan, Corres. —

At 4:30 this morning the awaking of birds was like a musical mist alarm clock. There were the voices of robins, purple finches, catbirds, rose breasted grosbeaks and many more. But none could compete with the thrushes that sang from the dusky woods out back. I listened until time to get up and as I went through the day nothing could equal it.

The change between spring and summer up the Bulldozer Road and in the farm fields isn't gradual. One day the wind is brisk and wears a chill. The sun is warm if I am directly in it, but the wind is sharp enough to mute the warmth and make me struggle in to my collar. The ground is cold and brown with a few green plants seeking the sun. It's a restless time; we feel the need to do something constructive.

Then one day at the end of May, there is a marked change. Perhaps not too much more green on the ground and the wind is still capricious. But the sun has heated the soil enough so that it gives back radiation.

The breeze is softer. The sun is really warm. The smell of pine comes on the breeze from every direction.

In June, the day before summer, I noticed the same but much of it molded together because of the warmth and the moisture from the soil. In June there is no longer an empty field. Like plants that needed moisture and sun, the insect eggs laid last fall have hatched and emerged; it seems overnight. A grasshopper appears at every step, always landing just where I plan to put my foot again. I like the description I once wrote down, written by Jules Renard in his "Natural Histories". It fits a grasshopper better than any other I have read. "He is afraid of nothing, because he has seven-league boots, the neck of a bull, the brow of a genius, the belly of a ship, celluloid wings, devil's horns, and a big sword on his backside."

Beetles, tiny bugs of many colors, and sizes pitter among the leaves and stems.

The grasses in the fields are tall and ready for mowing so I kept by the walls. It has been some time since I had been up the hill to view the valley. This, to me, is

a place of all seasons. How many times have I climbed this hill? How many times have I sat and looked at the scenery? How many memories over nearly 60 years?

Here part of each season mingles with another. In winter there is the promise of spring and in spring there is a foretaste of summer. The white of summer clouds reminds me of the drifts of winter snow. The green of spruces brings thoughts of the first spring mallard. The gray rocks are reminders of gray winter skies.

Big fat bees were on clover blossoms, as they shimmered against the grasses.

I was glad to be out on this impeccable day. The air was full of birdsong. As I stood looking out at the mountains letting it all soak in, was to compare it to a puzzle of many pieces set out on a table. Occasionally a few pieces fit together, enhanced by knowing the puzzle will never be complete. There will always be something new to discover.

As each season passes, we who live realize how pioneers felt about the preciousness of their land.

The "hill" is full of treasures for the observer. I saw a nest tumbled to the ground near a beautiful blue-eyed grass, and a weathered tree knot which looked like a bird.

On Thursday, Doris Hayes and I went out for dinner with other teachers and then all returned to Doris' for the afternoon.

Sunday, Clyde and I called on my sister, Lucy Ridley and her husband, Watford.

Mr. and Mrs. James Whitman, Norway, stopped for a dooryard call one evening recently.

Fay and Ann Holt attended the Holt Reunion at Moses Mason House in Bethel on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Spire and children, New Hampshire, were with Doris Hayes over the week end. Other callers were Duane Hayes and children, West Paris; Ardell Hayes, Auburn.

Ruth Collins of Freeport is visiting her sister, Rena Curtis for a week. Dorothy Curtis, Kathy Curtis and Eva Felton, local, were callers one evening.

Fred Curtis, sons, Walter, Albert and daughter, Colista, and some of their families were in Jackman and Skinner over the week end.

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SENIOR CITIZEN MENUS

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Tuesday, July 3: Beef continental, mashed potatoes, peas and carrots, pineapple ambrosia, bread.

Thursday, July 5: Veal patties with gravy, spinach, potatoes, strawberry shortcake.

West Paris

— Mrs. Marian Chase, Corres. —

Mrs. Miriam Inman, Mr. and Mrs. James Baker left last week on a trip to Alaska. Vernon Inman will join them later.

Mrs. Joyce Lamb is working as a nurse at the Susan Curtis Camp. Mr. and Mrs. Everett Chase, Mr. and Mrs. Rick Chase, Ricky and Chad, Mrs. Nestor Ruokolainen, Lisa, Karen, Angelia and Jennifer, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Chase and Becky, were at camp on North Pond, Sunday.

Randy Chase went deep sea fishing out of Ogunquit, Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Doughty spent the week end in Aziscoos.

West Paris Historical Society met on Monday, June 18. There were 14 members present. Letters were read from former teachers. Next meeting will be on July 16.

Mrs. Lila Buck returned home Tuesday after visiting her daughter, Mrs. Frances Millett in Lewiston for four days.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Smith, South Paris, called on his aunt, Mrs. Lyndell Farr on Sunday evening.

West Greenwood

— Carolyn M. Colby, Corres. —

Alan Wilson spent the week end with Laurie Wilson in Bingham.

Marion Soule of Palermo spent the week end with Leah Deegan. They, along with Florence Beck from Randolph, N. H., attended the dance recital Friday evening to see Koral and Eben Smith who were participants.

Saturday, Leah and Marion took a ride around the Mountains through Fryeburg, North Conway, Lancaster and from Shelburne along the North Road to Gilead.

Earl, Carl and Brian went to the truck pulling at the Oxford fairgrounds, Sunday.

Visiting Joe and Muriel Gilbert were: Howard and Gen Gortam, their daughter and son-in-law on Saturday and Lew and Irene Charost, Lewiston, on Sunday.

Louisa Croteau was visiting in the neighborhood this last week.

IN MEMORIAM
In Memory of
Peter C. Bean
June 28, 1983
Life begins with God
and ends with God
and the span between is ours.
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T.T.A.E.R.S. News

(Tri-Town Ambulance & Emergency Rescue Service)

Congratulations to Murad Sayen, Zeba Weidner and Paul Beaton who passed their state licensing exam Monday night and became E. M. T.'s

The auxiliary is planning a picnic for Monday night, July 2, at Ruth Scribner's home in East Sumner. Auxiliary and families are invited. Please bring a salad or a dessert.

Tri Town Search and Rescue Team completed their training on Sunday with Gary Anderson from the Maine Game Warden Service. The members walked through the woods on Curtis Hill in South Woodstock, marking straight lines and looking for clues that would indicate where someone had traveled.

Safety Tip of the Week—
Summer lightning storms can be beautiful to watch, but they have their danger. Common sense is helpful. Remember water and metals conduct electricity, which means the charge from a lightning bolt could easily travel through to a person on the other end.

Swimming is very dangerous in an electrical storm, as is sailing with a metal mast. Standing under a tall tree in an open field may keep you dry, but the lightning may strike the tallest object in the area and that might be where you are standing.

If you are in a car which has been struck or is in contact with a downed electrical wire, stay put. The rubber tires do not conduct electricity and you are not grounded until you decide to get out.

Next week—What to do if you are struck by lightning or witness someone who is.

CARD OF THANKS
Our sincere thanks to everyone who remembered us with calls, cards, flowers and memorial donations; to those who cooked for us, attended the funeral service or expressed their sympathy with a visit or kind word. Knowing you shared our sorrow made a difficult time much easier to accept and your thoughtfulness is deeply appreciated. Also thanks to everyone who remembered Mother during her illness and to the many who helped in any way with her care.

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Songo Pond

— Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Corres. —

Jesse Doyen returned home Thursday from the Rumford Community Hospital. His granddaughter, Mrs. Rachel Hindman Bulchman of Virginia and friend visited last week with her mother and grandparents here and brother in Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Ault of Augusta, were also supper guests one night. Our sympathy to the Aults on the recent loss of his mother.

Mrs. Grace Merrill was a Sunday supper guests of the William Bancrofts.

Mrs. Christine Kimball spent a day recently with her mother and sister in Monmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parsons were in Portland Monday to meet his brother, George Parsons, from California.

"That old law about 'an eye for an eye' leaves everybody blind."
—Martin Luther King Jr.

West Bethel
Mr. and Mrs. James A. Everett have returned to Jenison, Mich., after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Everett of Mason, and other relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Stowell, Melanie and Nathan, have been guests of her parents, Ruth and Arthur Gilbert, for several days this past week. Jane Head went back to Shirley, Mass., with them to baby sit for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Boyd spent Saturday night in Madison and on the way home Sunday, called on Mrs. Carl Richardson who is in a Winthrop nursing home.

Peter Stowell and friends of Augusta called on his parents, Sunday afternoon.

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EAST ANDOVER

Mrs. Marjorie Jodrey, Cor. — Mr. and Mrs. Richard Johnston were guests of Rev. and Mrs. David Wuori at the wedding of their son, Steven Wuori, and Miss Barbara Living on Saturday.

On June 19 the sixth grade of Andover Elementary School spent the day at Abbott's Anchorage.

On June 20, Mrs. Bill Barpell and son, Billy Joe, of Ann Arbor, Mich., arrived to spend two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Emerson Sr.

The Youth Group of the First Congregational Church with their leaders, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Poor, enjoyed a camp out in South Arm at the camp of Mrs. Mary Thurston. Going were Nancy Miller, Heidi Belanger, Billy Gregg Simmons, Danny Thurston, Mike Miller, Dwayne Jodrey, Paul Hutchins and Ricky Gilks. Chaplains besides the leaders, Peter and Be- lenda Poor, were Barbara Simmons, Rex Thurston, Mary Thurston, Junior Miller and David Belanger. A good time was had by all despite the cold weather.

Robert and Elaine Akers took their daughter, Mrs. Robert Emerson and son, Cory, to Boston, Mass., on Sunday to fly to Gen- uany to be with her husband, Pile. Robert L. Emerson, who is station- ed there.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Swain spent last week end visiting with friends in Barrington and Provi- dence, R. I. While there they at- tended Mr. Swain's 45th college reunion.

Many from town attended the wedding on Saturday, June 23, of John Richardson, Jr., and Nancy Jasad in Mexico and the reception at the Beau Revage. Congratula- tions newlyweds.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Fynberg and wife were in Lewiston on Saturday to the Strainers Clinic at Central Maine Medical Center where Jen- nifer had an appointment.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Garrett and Keith of South Carolina are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Roger Sabin and twin sons and also visiting other friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Farring- ton have returned after visiting a week in Prince Edward Island with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Flanders and children, Jarrod, Mary Beth, and Christie, were in Sanguenville, visit- ing his mother, Mrs. Mary Flan- ders.

The Andover Service Circle Club celebrated its 10th Anniversary on Tuesday, June 19, at the Christian Education Building. The club mot- to is "Give of Ourselves" which has been shown by the many ac- tivities and services the club has rendered to the town in the past 10 years. The first President, Tru- di Akers, was presented the floral arrangement that was a gift to the club from the East Andover Com- munity Club as the centerpiece for the table, in appreciation for all her leadership in the early days of the club. Past Presidents were Julie Merrill, now living in Coldfoot, Alaska, who was present because she is visiting her par- ents; Harriet Sauret, Bertha Sum- merton, Joan Wirth, Beverly Swan

and Joyce Morgan, Charter mem- ber Doty Lang was given a cor- sage for 10 years continuous ser- vice and Judy Michaud, who is serving as secretary and treasur- er, was presented a locket by Pre- sident Sonja Flanders.

Many from town attended the "Mud Run" in Mexico on Sunday, June 24th.

Maurice Palmer, Norman White, Audrey White, Fulton White and Jim Hines are all patients at Rum- ford Community Hospital.

The Ladies Aid of the Calvary Congregational Church were guests of the Ladies Aid of the First Con- gregational Church meeting on June 18. Present were: Marjorie Stinson, Edna White, Sandra Clem- ents, Phyllis Parrar and Diana Wells.

On Friday, June 22, the Andover Friday Club held their annual "eat-out" meeting in Rumford. At- tending were: President Judy Richardson, Margaret Learned, Dot Campbell, Florence Hall, Anne Fox, Thelma Clark, Joseph- ine Poor, Catherine Luce, Edith Bartlett, Gertrude Percival, Rob- erta Learned, Virginia Daigle, and invited guest, Rev. E. Marriotte Churchill. The Friday Club is a member of the General Federation of Women's Clubs. There were two speakers: Mrs. Jean Bueter of Freeport, who is State President, and Mrs. Evelyn Edwards, Dis- trict President, of Farmington.

There were three young guests, Pamela Hart, Anna Churchill and Karen Simmons. The Fall Confer- ence Meeting is at the Bethel Inn on Oct. 24 and 25.

SR Michael Myshrahl left this week for Athens, Greece, where he will be stationed.

Greeters at the First Congre- gational Church on Sunday, June 24, were Ruth and Howard Spi- dell. Rev. Church's sermon topic was "The Keys to the Kingdom."

On Thursday, June 28, choir re- hearsal at 7 p. m. Special thanks to Laura and Bernard Hutchins for planting the window boxes in me- mory of Althea Hutchins and Eva and Estes Yates. Greeters on Sun- day, July 1, will be Minnie Akers and Beverly Swan.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Clark and family have moved to Buxton. Mr. and Mrs. David White have pur- chased their house on Back St.

Wedding congratulations are ex- tended to David White and Sharon Parker of Texas, who were mar- ried at the Calvary Congregational Church Monday, June 25 by Rev. Robert Shafer. Danny White, twin brother of the groom, was best man and Annie and Hud Parker were their mother's attendants.

Mrs. Mabel Cook of Texas, moth- er of the bride was also present. A reception followed the ceremony at the town hall for friends and relatives.

Elderwood Manor Items

Visitors at Florence Hall's Sun- day were Mr. and Mrs. William Nippula of Owls Head, Me., and Stephan Hall and family of Beth- el, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. William Nippula of Owls Head, called on Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hutchins, Anne Fox and Dorothy Elliott on Sunday.

Norman White is a patient at Rumford Community Hospital. Mrs. James Hines was guest of

THIS WEEK AT THE MOSES MASON HOUSE

All members and friends of the Bethel Historical Society are re- minded that the monthly meeting of the Society will be held on Thursday, July 5, at the Dr. Mo- ses Mason House. As this is the annual picnic, everyone attending should bring a picnic lunch and arrive at 6:30 p. m. Beverages will be furnished by the Society. As this will be a joint meeting with the Fryeburg Historical So- ciety, Society Director Stanley R. Howe will speak on Bethel-Frye- burg Historical Connections. Frye- burg was settled in 1762-63 and incorporated in 1777. Bethel was settled approximately 10 years later but was not incorporated until 1796. There have been many his- torical connections including co- operative efforts during the Indian Raid of 1781. The first lawyer in Bethel, William Frye, came here from Fryeburg in 1821. There have been many family connections through the years. These and other subjects will be the feature of Director Howe's talk. Howe is a descendant of two men who brought their families to Bethel from Fryeburg in 1779. Anyone interested in attending this meet- ing is cordially invited to do so.

Approximately 75 members of the Holt Association of America met at the Moses Mason House Saturday for the annual reunion. Members came from as far away as Maryland and heard several talks on family history and gene- alogy including one by Society Di- rector Stanley R. Howe who spoke on the Halls of Bethel.

The Dr. Moses Mason Museum will open on July 1. This year there will be a special exhibit on Martha Fitchfield Wilkins in the meet- ing room. Miss Wilkins was a well known local historian with ties in the Bethel and Riley Plantation area.

The other exhibit which will be on display until mid-October is "Alphin and Roxanna (Twitcheil): Folk Art Portraits" which focuses on the life and times of two lead- ing citizens of Bethel in the 19th century.

Also each Wednesday begin- ning at 4 p. m. during July and August the museum will feature a film. The schedule this year is: July 4, "If You Love This Plan- et"; July 11, "The Smithsonian Institution"; July 18, "American Light: The Luminist Movement"; July 25, "Granny's Quilts"; Aug. 1, "Conquest of Light"; Aug. 1,

Mrs. Norman White on Monday and attended the wedding recep- tion of Mr. and Mrs. David White. Mrs. Louise Powell visited her mother, Mrs. Alma Hewey on Sunday.

Mrs. Elsie Howe and grand- daughters of Rumford, visited Mrs. Bernice Glover on Sunday. Florence Hall and Anne Fox attended the Friday Club lunch- con on Friday, June 22.

Florence Hall and Dorothy Campbell attended University of Maine of Farmington alumni meeting and dinner Saturday. It was Dorothy Campbell's 58th and Florence Hall's 53rd year since graduation.

Albany HUNT'S CORNER AND VICINITY

Kathy Bennett, Corres. — Another rainy Monday is with us — believe it or not we can use the rain.

Recent visitors at the Barton Farm have been Arthur and Sarah Seavey and Randy of North Con- way and Roger and Yvette Barton and Dale also Grampa Frank Bar- ton, Mr. and Mrs. James Conley and son, Kevin. Kevin is spending several weeks here on the farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Hathaway were recent dinner guests at the Wardwell Farm.

Recent callers at the home of Hugh and Edith Stearns have been Barb Imman, June Imman and chil- dren, Frank and Terri Howard and children, Norm and Betty Rust, Dean Peaco, Mr. and Mrs. Cla- rence Waterhouse, and Bob and Millie Pope.

Kelly Andrews has been spend- ing several days with her grand- mother, Sarah Andrews. Doris Fra- ser and Allen Fraser were recent callers at the home of Sarah An- drews.

Lorrie and Steve Hodgdon vis- ited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hodgdon, Wilfred and Grace Martin, and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Davis and Paula and Jim Allen on Sunday.

All is well on K-D's Acres. Dave is enjoying his work at Camp Fernwood. Doug is spending this week with his grandmother, Eva B. Twitcheil and aunts, Dot Hoop- er and Kay Billings at Aunt Dot's cottage at Ocean Park. Dan is spending a couple of days with Chris and Elton Cole and girls.

"Williamsburg Restored": Aug. 8, "Basketmaking in Colonial Vir- ginia": Aug. 15, "The Cooper's Craft": Aug. 22, "Eighteenth Cen- tury Life in Williamsburg": Aug. 29, "Hammerman in Williams- burg." The films are free and open to anyone interested.

Locke Mills

Mrs. John Mills, Corres. — The North Pond Sailing Associa- tion will hold their first regatta of the summer on Sunday, July 1, beginning at 1 p. m. on North Pond.

The Firemen's Auxiliary held a regular meeting Tuesday at the Fire Station. Date for the flea market is Aug. 4, from 10 to 3 o'clock, with a rain date of Aug. 5. The Auxiliary will be catering the Bryant Pond Senior Citizen dinner on Aug. 2. July 24 they will hold a housewares party at 7:30 p. m. at the Fire Station. Pro- ceeds will go to Maine children afflicted with Muscular Dystrophy. The Auxiliaries of Bryant Pond and West Paris have received spe- cial invitations to attend and the public is also invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Young (Che- ryl Stevens) are receiving con- gratulations on the birth of a son at their home in Locke Mills on Father's Day, June 17. He has been named, Eli Charles and weighed 8 pounds, 5 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mills were in Rumford Saturday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert Buckley.

Mrs. Helen Bacon returned home to Boston Saturday after vis- iting a week with Mrs. Lillian Lapham. Mrs. Lapham's daughter, Claire Smith and daughter, Ka-

thleen attended the wedding reception for Sheila Sauri and her husband in Brunswick on Sat- urday evening. Sheila is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. H. Sauri of Harrison.

All at K-D's Acres have been helping the Barton family with hay.

Recent callers here have been Elton Cole, Megan and Maire, Lor- rie and Lolita Hodgdon, Margaret and Frank Barton and Jeff Bar- ton.

BRIDAL SHOWER

Miss Tammy Wilson was guest of honor at a surprise bridal shower Saturday, June 23 at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Fitchfield, Bryant Pond. Refreshments were served including a shower cake, made by Bethany Wilson, and a social time was enjoyed.

Those attending included Sandra, Kelly and Jessica Savage, Lor- raine York, Maribel Abbott, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Prada, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Smith, Mr. and Mrs. George Curtis, Mr. and Mrs. James Heath, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Heath, Bethany Wilson and friend, Spike, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Ber- yment, Todd Wilson, Lucy Rob- bins, Jean Grover, Becky Law- rence, and Cindy Fitchfield. Sending gifts, but unable to attend, were Mr. and Mrs. Orrie Wilson, Mau- rice Prince and the crew at Ka- tie's Kitchen.

Miss Wallingford, Conn., came to visit over the week end. Mrs. Lap- ham is feeling better following her recent fall.

Mrs. Bertha Flanders was given a birthday cook out Sunday at the Gaudet's camp. The cake was made by Thelma Gaudet and de- corated by Lisa Gaudet. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gau- det, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morse, Lisa Gaudet and friend Steve, John Gaudet and friend Pam, Bruce Tuominen and friend Vello- ra, Mr. and Mrs. Kim Tuominen and their uncle, Paul Tuominen. Mrs. Flanders received 28 birth- day cards.

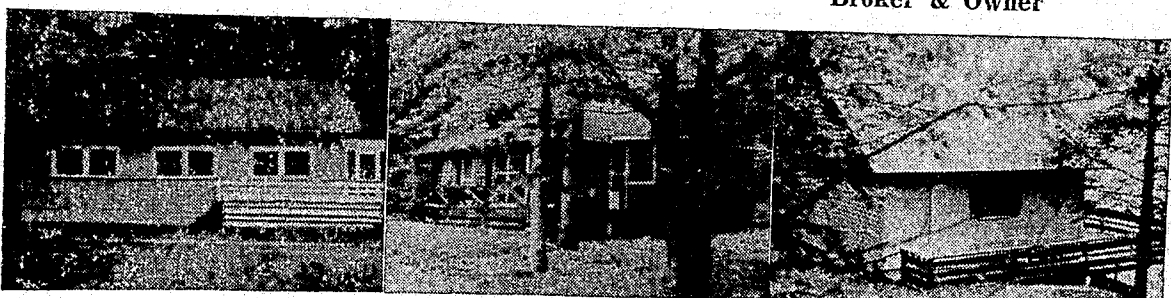
Ralph Mills arrived Tuesday from Colchester, Vt., to spend the rest of the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Mills.

The Greenwood Fire Department will meet Tuesday evening, July 3, at 7 o'clock at the Fire Station.

The meeting of Greenwood His- torical Society will be held July 8, with discussion of the new booster club.

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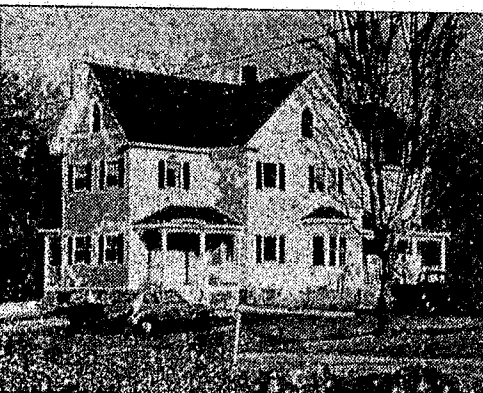


Carriage House

Pine Cottage

The Chalet

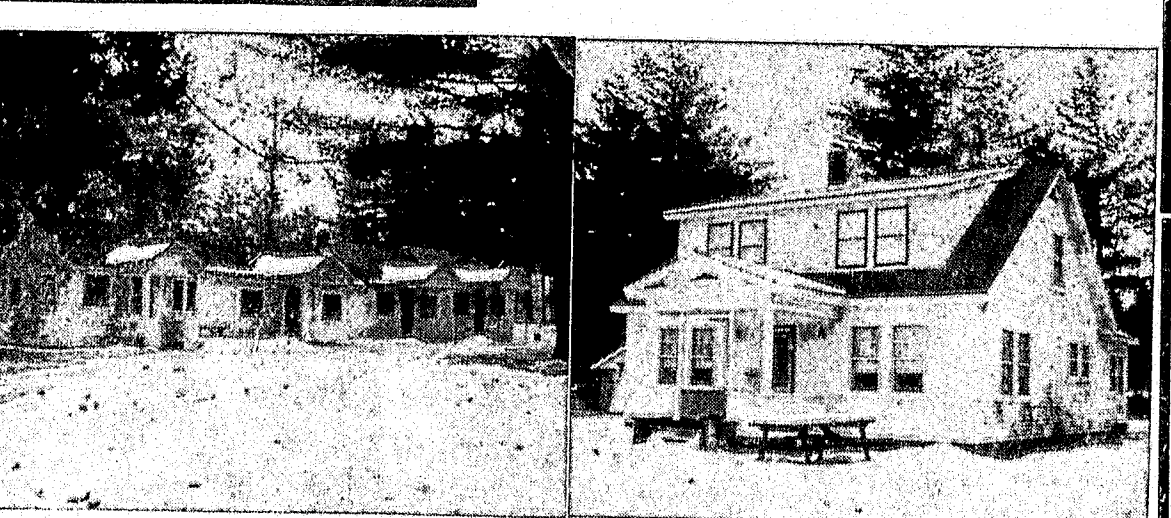
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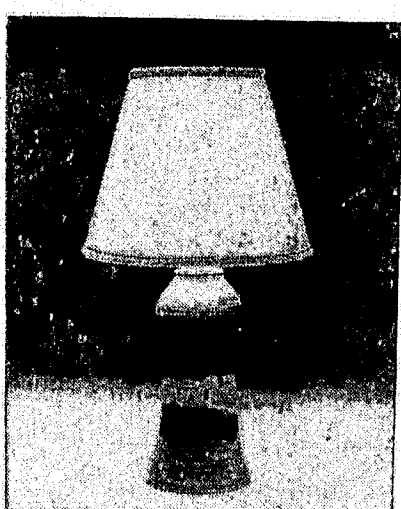


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MORIN - ELLINGWOOD

Miss Constance Ellingwood and George Morin were married May 26 at the Sunday River Covered Bridge, Rev. Patricia Moore from Bangor officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Ellingwood of Hanover. Her husband is the son of Mrs. Mary Morin of Sunday River.

The bride wore a white satin gown with lace overlay, long lace sleeves and a high neckline. Her headpiece was fashioned of pink and blue baby's breath and white ribbons. She carried a bouquet of white daisies and pink and blue baby's breath. Mrs. Warner Armbruster of Key Largo, Fla., was the matron of honor. She wore a light blue print dress and carried a small fire-side basket of daisies and blue baby's breath. The bridesmaids were Mrs. Dana Hood from Leeds, Mrs. Spencer Couture from Rumford Point and Mrs. Elaine Howe from New Hampshire. They each wore a light pink print dress and carried small fire-side baskets of daisies and pink baby's breath. Miss Brienne Ellingwood was flower girl. She wore a white dress with eyelet and pink ribbon trim. She carried a tiny fire-side basket of pink and white daisies and baby's breath.

Arthur Clifford of Rumford was the best man. Ushers were Nick DeSalle from Rumford, Rick Westleigh from Rumford Corner and Roland Morin from Auburn, John Ellingwood, nephew of the bride, was ring bearer.

Music for the ceremony was furnished by Mrs. David Luxton



Mr. and Mrs. George Morin

of West Bethel as vocalist, accompanied on the guitar by Noel Palmer of Rumford. She sang "Always", "Longer", and "Make Love Stay".

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents in Hanover. Tricia and Wendy Ellingwood, nieces of the bride, circulated the guest book. Mrs. Roberta Croteau and Mrs. David Luxton had charge of the gift table. Mr. and Mrs. Morin are residing in Hanover after a wedding trip to the Maine coast.

Mrs. Morin is a graduate of Rumford H. S. and is employed as a nurses' aide at the Dixfield Health Center. Mr. Morin is a graduate of Telstar Regional High School in Bethel and is self-employed at Morin's Auto Service in Rumford.

Letters to the Editor

To the Editor:

Recently there has been a large changeover in the directorship of the Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce. We would like to thank Don Bennett, Louise Lincoln, Barbara Brown and Marlene Marshall for their years of unselfish and dedicated service. As we, a new board of directors take over, it is comforting to know that we have their years of experience to fall back on should the need arise.

We are looking forward to the opportunity to serve the needs of Bethel area businesses and those of the public in general. It will be our aim to create a healthy energetic business climate in the Bethel Area. This should have a rebound effect which will benefit everyone whether it be by new jobs, more services or new products, etc.

Please watch this paper for dates, times and location of our meetings. We will be meeting frequently and most meetings will be open to the public. We encourage any members, prospective members or interested citizens to attend these meetings. In addition, we hope everyone will watch this paper for upcoming news from the Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce. Anyone with any questions or comments may contact the board members at their respective businesses.

Respectfully,
Rick Whitney
The Shop
Wende Gray
Sunday River Skiway
Robin Zinchuk
Chapman Inn
Carolyn Campbell
Carino Crafts
Bill Riley
Pine Sider Lodge
George Stevens
Littlefield Beaches
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Box 1168
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To the Editor:

I am a lover of history and I have a somewhat unusual hobby. I collect old tokens used by stores, barber shops, lumber companies, saloons, forts, and other businesses years ago. The tokens were "good for" \$1.00, 50c, 25c, 12½c, or such in trade or merchandise or "good for" loaf of bread, one drink, one shave, one ride or whatever. They were usually made of metal, and while having the general appearance of a coin, they were made in all shapes and sizes with some picturing elephants, cows, birds and buildings.

I have reason to believe that some of these tokens were used in your area and I would be most interested in obtaining some of them for my collection.

I am hoping that if you have a "Letter to the Editor" section or such in your paper that you might mention my search. I know that this request is relatively unimportant but I do get a great deal of enjoyment from my hobby and I do believe that these concrete reminders of our great heritage are worth preserving.

I would like to hear from anyone having one or more of these tokens or from anyone that might be able to help me. Any help that you can give me of any kind is greatly appreciated. I now live in Texas and my address is Travis Roberts, Box 1168, Bellaire, Texas 77401.

Thank you in advance and best wishes,
Travis Roberts

IN MEMORY OF
MABEL B. ROBERTSON

She was born Mabel Flora Bean on Feb. 13, 1896 near Bethel Village on what used to be the "Lovers Lane" road near the "Steam Mill"—just past the cemetery but on the opposite side of the road (years later there was an oil company on the same site).

Soon after her birth her parents (Vear Wesley Bean and Annie Hill Bean) moved back to the Peter Chandler place on Chandler Hill road (the other side of her brother Wesley's future home site). Peter Chandler was Abial Chandler's brother.

When she was old enough she started school at the old South Bethel Grammar School (a one-room schoolhouse for 1st through 8th grade pupils).

At the age of eight she moved to Malden, Mass., where her father found employment as a motorman on the electric trolley cars which ran between Malden and Scully Square in Boston. They lived there for two years until a strike affected the trolley services, then they moved back to the Ira Bean farm on Chandler Hill. Soon after they returned Vear Bean's brother, Frank, asked him to move to South Bethel, Ariz., to work with him in the copper mines so they decided to go. Mabel was now 10 years old, her brother Wesley was eight and sister Georgina was six. They rode on the train from Maine to Arizona and made their home in South Bethel. After two years Mabel's father, Vear, suffered from rheumatic fever because of the dampness inside the mine. They returned to Chandler Hill. When Mabel was ready for her Freshman year at Gould Academy, her Grandfather gave her a horse of her own. It was four miles from the farm to Bethel Village and she rode back and forth all her Freshman year then her Sophomore year she went to Mayville and worked her board and room at the home of Baker Thurston. Her junior year she worked at Holden Hall as a waitress then her Senior year she stayed at Holden Hall through the efforts of her father who contracted with the school to cut and haul 25 cords of hardwood for the wood furnace which heated the building.

During her Senior year she was President of the Y.W.C.A. and one of her projects was to make "comfort bags" for the men in the armed services. These bags contained buttons, thread, needles, pins, etc., and some were sent to the Sailors' Institute in Portland, Maine, for distribution to various bases. It seems that the girls who made them enclosed their addresses "just for fun" and the one Mabel made finally became the property of Robert Kirk, "Electrician R.P." U. S. Navy. He promptly wrote her a letter which began an interesting correspondence. He planned to spend his leave in Bethel and sent a dozen roses for her to carry in June 1914 when she graduated. He married her in June, 1915 and she went to Charleston,

NEW CLEARINGHOUSE
ESTABLISHED

A new clearinghouse of information on the prevention of developmental disabilities has been established. Readers are invited to write or call for information on a variety of health care issues aimed at reducing developmental disabilities. Project coordinator Glenn Griswold for the Western Maine Developmental Disabilities Prevention Project stated "the clearinghouse has been established to provide residents in the Androscoggin, Franklin and Oxford tri-county area a source of information on such topics as child safety, genetic counseling, poison prevention, child growth and development, nutrition during pregnancy, drug and alcohol material for the pregnant woman, smoking awareness materials, and general parenting materials." Single copies of these materials can be obtained by writing to: Western Maine Developmental Disabilities Prevention Project, 618 Main Street, Lewiston, Maine 04240 or call 784-9155 and ask for Glenn Griswold.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bennett and family, Northfield, Vt., visited Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Brown, over the week end, and are at Music Camp, Oakland, this week.

S. C., where he was based. Their daughter, Edith Louise, was born at their home near the base in May 1916. Robert was sent overseas on duty to Liverpool, England, and to Queenstown Harbor, Ireland and was a "Warrent Officer" on the U. S. Manley, which collided with a British ship at sea and blew up. Many of his friends were killed at the time—he and other survivors were picked up by other ships of the convoy.

While he was overseas Mabel was back in Bethel and their son, Robert Kirk Jr., was born July 9, 1918, and was six months old when his Dad returned.

Mabel and Robert then moved to Oskaloosa, Iowa, to his parents' farm and stayed there for a year. Then they moved to Philadelphia, Pa., where Robert went into the electrical business with his brother, James Kirk. He bought a house there and they stayed for five years before moving back to Maine where a son David Vear Kirk was born July 6, 1923 and then on June 1, 1925 Richard Wilbur was born. David was accidentally shot in a hunting accident in November 1939. He was a senior at Gould Academy and would have graduated the following June, 1940. This was a very sad loss to Mabel but she had an inner strength that helped her to face many trials and difficulties over the nearly 88 years she lived. Her last bout with cancer ended her life but her spirit lives on and all who knew and loved her will agree that she was a generous, understanding, uncomplaining, hard working and lovable lady. May her soul rest in peace. We would not wish her back to suffer.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Thursday, June 28: Oxford Gem and Mineral Society, call 824-2844 for information.

Friday, June 29: Contra Dance at the Pleasant Valley Grange Hall on Route 2 in West Bethel, 8 p.m. Music will be by Alva Morrison and band. The dance is sponsored by the S.A.D. 44 Adult and Community Education program.

Monday, July 2: Area Writers at 7 p.m. at the Book Barn, located beside Martha's Restaurant on lower St. in Bethel. Those interested may bring something for criticism or just come and observe.

Tuesday, July 3: Rotary Club, Sudbury Inn, 12 noon; Bethel Recreation Board, see Maryvonne Wheeler, 824-2091; Bethel Outing Club, call 824-2114 for information.

Thursday, July 5: Bethel Historical Society, Moses Mason House, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, July 6: Mt. Abram Lodge #31, I.O.O.F. Meets 1st and 3rd Fridays, 7:30 p.m.

Ginger Kelly of Crane Associates in Bethel is the volunteer coordinator for the Community Calendar and will accept items to be listed by mail, phone, 824-2114, or in person at her office in the Cole Block in Bethel.



OFFICERS INSTALLED — On Tuesday evening, June 12, officers of Oxford County Council, American Legion, were installed in ceremonies at the Mundi-Allen Legion Post Hall on Vernon Street, Bethel. Seated, left to right: George Wing, Sgt.-at-Arms; Ed Roach, Installing Officer; Eugene Buswell, Commander; Vito DeFilipp, Installing Chaplain; Warren Smith, Adjutant; Standing: Robert Lowe, Chaplain; Ed Miller, Service Officer; Charles Mason, 1st

Vice Commander; Tom Warner, Smye, 2nd Vice Commander, and Past County Commander; Steve Albert Judkins, Finance Officer.

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AUXILIARY OFFICERS INSTALLED — Officers of the Oxford County Council American Legion Auxiliary were installed Tuesday evening, June 12, at the Mundi-Allen Post Hall in Bethel.

Seated, left to right: Lucille Allen, Installing Sgt.-at-Arms; Myra Stevens, Installing Chaplain; Carrie Child, President; Ruth Judkins, Installing Officer; Sandra Martin, 1st Vice President, Stand-

ing: Jennie Wing, Chaplain; Bonita Miller, Historian; Wilmer Warner, Sgt.-at-Arms; Annie Beck, Secretary; Ruth Gurney, 2nd Vice President; Dorothy Bailey, Treasurer.

CURED NEWS

Bethel United Methodist Church
Rev. Guy R. Downing, Pastor
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Administrative Board Chairman,
Richard Stevens
Christian Education Chairperson,
Sally Downing

Sunday:
9:00 a.m. Worship Service.
UMW—first Thursday of each month, 1:30 p.m.
Friday Gift Shop, 1-5 p.m.
Anyone needing prayers of church members or knowing of someone in need please call Mrs. Burton Abbott, Mrs. Wallace Saunders or Mrs. Randal Stevens.

West Parish Congregational United Church of Christ
Church St., Bethel
Rev. Jean Bass
Co-Pastors
Miss Mary Valentine, Minister of Music

Sunday:
Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.
Nursery care provided.
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Sunday, 9 a.m., Mass.

Bethel Gospel Center
of Christian & Missionary Alliance
D. N. Larson, Pastor

Sunday:
Sunday School, 9 a.m., three year olds through adults.
Babysitting for all children under five years during church.
Morning Worship, 10 a.m.
Evening Service, 6 p.m.
Monday: Men's Bible Studies, 7 p.m.
Ladies' Bible Study, Tuesdays, 9:30 a.m. — for location call: 824-2859. Babysitting.
Wednesday, 7 p.m.: Prayer and Bible Study.

Bethel Church of the Nazarene
Church Street

Sunday:
Sunday School (for all ages including adults), 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship, 6 p.m.
Wednesday: Prayer Meeting, 7 p.m.
For transportation or information to any service call 824-2872.

West Bethel Union Church
Rev. Norman Rust, Minister
Phone: Church 836-2825
Home 583-4688

Parish Day Wednesday
Mrs. Nesta Littlefield, Organist
Mrs. Rodney Kimball, Custodian
Morning worship and Church School, 9:15 a.m.
Nursery provided for pre-school children.
Chapel Aid, second Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Pleasant Valley Bible Church
836-2828
B. R. Griffith, Pastor
Linda Stowell,
Pianist and Choir Director

Sunday:
Sunday School, 9 a.m., Ages 3 through adult.
Morning worship, 10 a.m. Baby-sitting for children through age 5.
Tuesday: choir practice, 6 p.m.
Prayer and Bible Study, 7 p.m.
Thursday afternoon Ladies Bible Study, Babysitting available.
Those needing information or rides to church activities, please call Maureen at 824-2949.

Locke Mills Union Church
Rev. Michael Caldwell
Mrs. Richard Melville
Organist and Choir Director
Sunday:
Morning Worship, 9 a.m., The Holy Eucharist.
Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.
Wednesday:
TOPS, 7 p.m.
Trustees—2nd Wed., 7:30 p.m.
Ladies Circle—3rd Wed., 1:30 p.m.

Thursday:
Choir, 6:30 p.m.
Youth Group, 7 p.m.
Bible Study, 8:15 p.m.

MERRILL PROMOTED TO U. S. ARMY SGT. 1c

Preston R. Merrill, son of Warren R. Merrill of Bethel, has been promoted in the U. S. Army to the rank of sergeant first class. Merrill is a medical instructor at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, with the Academy of Health Sciences.

His wife, Jeanne, is the daughter of E. D. and Norma J. Piggins of 1216 S. Rouse, Bozeman, Mont.

The sergeant is a 1971 graduate of Telstar Regional High School.

UNITARIAN-UNIVERSALIST
CHURCH OF BRYANT POND

The Unitarian - Universalist Church of Bryant Pond will have a service on Sunday, July 1, at 2 p.m. Frank Worcester will speak on "A God Within."

Mr. Worcester has lived in Hanover from childhood. He is a retired Industrial Arts and Vocational teacher. A graduate of Gosham Teachers College, he's taught in West Lebanon, Auburn and Rumford. Frank has served as Sunday School Superintendent at Rumford Point for two years. In the past, Frank has also been active in local school and local government affairs.

VETERANS' SERVICES

"I am a disabled veteran receiving nonservice connected pension under the Improved Pension Plan. I recently got notice that I was awarded Social Security benefits. Should I notify the VA of my new award now or wait until the end of the year when I receive my Annual Income Questionnaire card?"

For the answer to this or any other questions pertaining to V. A. or State veteran's benefits, you may contact the State Veterans Counselor who is in Rumford each Thursday at the Job Service Office on Congress St., from 9 to 12 noon.

Unitarian-Universalist
Bryant Pond

Services first Sunday of every month. For complete list of guest speakers write to Emily Baker, clerk, Unitarian Universalist Church, Bryant Pond, Me.

Bryant Pond Baptist Church

Pastor: Linwood Hanson
Sunday:
9:15 a.m. Sunday School.
10:30 a.m. Worship Service.
6:00 p.m. Lifeline for High Schoolers.

6:00 p.m. Evening Service.
Wednesday, Bible Study & Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, Awana Clubs: 2:30-4:00 for K thru Gr. 2; 6:00-8:00 for Gr. 3 thru Gr. 8.

Newry Community Church

Newry, Maine
Rodney Hanson, Pastor
Nancy Hanson, Organist
Sunday Morning Worship, 9:00, with special service for children.

First Congregational Church
United Church of Christ

Andover
Rev. E. Marriotte Churchill
Phone: Church 382-4678
Parsonage 382-3081

Organist and Choir Director,
Linda Burnham
Sunday School Supt.,
Paula P. Smith

Sunday:
9:30 a.m. Worship Service.
9:30 a.m. Church School.
Ladies Aid—Every other Monday at noon, C. E. B.

Calvary Congregational Church

Route 5
Andover, Maine
Pastor: Donald Grover

Pianist: Mrs. Edna White
Choir Director: Carol Stuart
Sunday School Superintendent:
Marjorie Stinson

Worship Service, 10:45.
Sunday School, 9:30.
Youth Group, 5:30.

Prayer and Praise, Wednesday at 7:30 at the church.

Choir rehearsal, Wednesdays at 5:30.

St. Barnabas' Episcopal Church
116 Penobscot St.
Rumford, Maine

Sundays, 9:30 a.m., The Holy Eucharist.
Other services as announced.
The Rev. Jacqueline R. Merrill,
364-2193, 824-3169.

Rumford Area Bible Speaks

Pastor Bob Colby
At Faith Bible Church, Route 232,
Rumford Corner:
10 a.m. Sunday School and Worship Service.
6 p.m. Sunday Youth Group.
7 p.m. Sunday Evening Service.

7 p.m. Wednesday Evening Service.
At 524 Prospect Ave., Rumford:
8 a.m. Mon.-Fri. Prayer and Devotional.

At Bethel—Women's Bible Study:
10 a.m. Eleanor Brooks' Home.
Bolster's Mills

United Methodist Church
David W. Helms, Pastor

Family Worship, 10:00 a.m.
Church School, 10:00 a.m.

South Waterford

United Methodist Church
David W. Helms, Pastor

Family Worship, 9:30 a.m.
In all Christian Science Churches, the Lesson-Sermon read from the desk is the same. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Sunday, July 1: Subject—God. Golden Text: Isaiah 46:1—... I am God, and there is none else.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, corner of Main and Tenth Streets, Berlin, N. H., holds Sunday morning services at 11 a.m. and Sunday School at the same hour for pupils up to the age of 20 years. The Wednesday evening meeting is at 7:45, including testimonies of healing.

Christian Science Society, Newry, 9 Stevens St., off Alpine St.
Sunday: Services and Sunday School at 10:30 a.m.

Wednesday evening service at 7:30 p.m. includes testimonies of healing.

OXFORD COUNTY
UNITED PARISH

Rev. Nancy Taylor
East Stoneham
Congregational Church
9:00 a.m. Worship Service.

North Waterford
Congregational Church
10:30 a.m. Worship Service.

Albany Congregational Church
Rev. Norman Rust, Minister
Home Phone: 583-4688
Organist, Edna York

Morning Worship, 10:45 a.m.

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Twenty-five words or less, one week, \$2.50; additional weeks without charge, \$2.00. More than 25 words, ten cents per word (the first week); additional weeks, eight cents per word.

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Cards of Thanks or in Memoriam, \$2.50.
Resolutions of Respect, \$5.75.
Tel. (207) 824-2444.

For Sale

FOR SALE - 1978 Datsun 310 Hatchback, \$1,000, 824-2205 before 5 p.m.

GARAGE SALE - Sat., Sun., June 30 - July 1, 9 a.m. - 2 p.m. Wilson's, 3 1/2 miles from Bethel on Route 35. 26p

FOR SALE - 1971 Ford, Custom, V-8, 4 door, good condition, \$450. Call 593-2545. 26-27p

FOR SALE - 1980 Subaru 4x4 wagon, excellent condition, 54,000 miles, purchased in West Virginia, asking \$3,500 or best offer, 665-2482. 26

MULTI-FAMILY YARD SALE - Saturday and Sunday, June 30-July 1, 9-5. Furniture, toys, dishes, baby equipment, Baby, children, adult clothing, Refrigerator, 275 gal. fuel tank. Much more. 1 mile off Rt. 26 on 232. 26p

FOR SALE - 1978 Datsun F10 front drive, 4 speed trans. Joe Taylor, 836-3684. 26-27p

PINTO PONY, 1980, 4 speed manual, 16,000 miles. Don Brown, 824-2149. 26p

FOR SALE - 1963 Scout 4WD, starts and runs well, but needs some tinkering, with 7 Fisher power angle plow. \$550. L. Shaw, 836-2481. 26-27p

FOR SALE - Matching living room couch and chair. Very attractive and in real good condition. \$150. Call 824-2258. 26p

CLEAN carpets with ease. Blue Lustre makes the job a breeze. Rent electric shampooer, \$1 and \$2 machines. Brooks Bros., Inc., 824-2155. 26

FOR SALE - 1978 Chevrolet Impala, excellent mechanical condition, \$2,900. Locke Mills, 875-2990. 26

WATERBEDS, bookcase headboard, new queen and king size, 20 year warranty, guaranteed by Good Housekeeping, solid finished pine. Complete bed including padded siderails. Retail \$395.00. Now only \$199.00. 6 drawer Pedestal \$70.00. 874-2318. 24-25p

Kiln-dried wood available by the loose cord. Delivered. Price according to distance. Call Andover 892-2241. 49p

CANOE - Appalachian Boats factory outlet, Rumford, Maine - Fiberglass canoes - new - used - seconds. For info call (207) 364-2455. 23-26p

SAVE 10% on Tents, Sleeping Bags and Camping Equipment. Foot Path Shoes & Sports, Bethel Mall. 23p

FIREWOOD FOR SALE - Slab-wood \$50 a cord. Contact Hanover Dowel Co. 7 a.m. - 4 p.m., 824-2191. 16p

ATTENTION HOME OWNERS: GREATLY reduced prices on a few leftover prefabricated GARDENES built this spring. Various sizes. Will deliver or install with foundation. Small deposit will hold. 100% Financing. For brochure, list of sizes and prices call TOLL FREE 1-800-452-1940 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. or write Maine-Wide Factory, P. O. Box 2106, Augusta, Maine 04330. 23-26

YOUNG DRIVER INSURANCE: We will not turn you down. A. D. Davis & Son, Inc., 824-2580. 12p

QUALITY CARPET CARE at an affordable price. Call SERVICE-MASTER for quality and efficient cleaning. For carpet, upholstered furniture, wall and floor cleaning, call SERVICE-MASTER today, 743-2108. 52p

MOBILE HOME SOLUTIONS: Now available from Maine's Mobile Home Specialist, #1 A new vinyl insulated replacement window especially for mobile homes. #2 Also have that extra room with our factory built add-a-rooms. #3 End leaks and shoveling forever with our pitched A-roof. #4 Insulate and modernize with insulated vinyl siding. #5 Insulated Vinyl Siding, professionally installed for warmth & comfort. 100% Financing on all. For Free Brochure and price lists, call Toll Free 1-800-452-1940 or write, Maine-Wide Factory, P. O. Box 2106, Augusta, Maine 04330. 23-26

For Rent

Apartment - 2 bedrooms - screen-ed porch - garden space - nice location in Bethel, 824-3272. 26-27p

West Bethel - attractive ground floor one bedroom apartment, with range and refrigerator, good storage area. \$215 month includes hot and cold water. 836-3311. 26p

FOR RENT - On Main St. - 2 bedroom apartment, heat and hot water - \$275 - deposit and references required - no pets - 824-2810. 15p

West Bethel - one room efficient apartment with full bath, second floor, deposit and references, \$150 month. 836-3311. 26p

2 bedroom apartment. Living room, stove, refrig. and heat included. \$275.00 monthly. Crane Real Estate, 824-2114. 14p

Lots and Acreage

DOCTOR'S FAMILY ANXIOUSLY WANTS TO BUY FARM or land for 2nd home & investment on maintained road, 617-371-0014, (14)(17)(20)(23)(26)(28)

NUCLEAR WASTE COMMISSION

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pressure for on-site disposal at the Maine Yankee Nuclear Power Station, which produces 99% of the radioactive waste generated in Maine.

They will also continue collecting signatures for a referendum drive which would give Maine people the right to vote on any plans for storage or disposal of nuclear waste. Some members of the commission voiced opposition to the referendum drive, claiming it limits their power to negotiate compact for disposal with other states. (Another resolution was also passed unanimously by the commission recommending negotiations with a larger state for a compact in which disposal would take place outside of Maine.)

Other activities at the hearing included a detailed report on a trip several commission members took to observe above ground storage of nuclear wastes at the Point Lepreau Nuclear Power Station in New Brunswick, comparison of costs of different waste disposal options, discussion of the volume of waste being generated in Maine, passage of a resolution regarding interim storage of nuclear wastes if Maine does not meet the federal deadline for siting, and a report on the geological suitability of the Maine Yankee site for nuclear disposal. The latter report was inconclusive, and further investigation was recommended.

For further information, contact Headquarters Alliance at 824-3361, or Bethel's State Representative, Jeff Mills, who also attended the hearing.

AIRMAN BRUCE BELLEGARDE

COMPLETES MACHINIST CLASS
Airman Bruce A. Bellegarde, son of Joseph L. and Gloria F. Bellegarde of Rumford, has completed a Department of Defense machinist course at Aberdeen Proving Ground, Maryland.

Students learned to manufacture, repair and modify metal and non-metal parts for trucks, weapons and other combat equipment.

Bellegarde is scheduled to serve with the 42nd Field Maintenance Squadron at Loring AFB, Maine.

His wife, Allison, is the daughter of Lloyd Billings of Bryant Pond.

When you find you cannot afford something the best thing to do is to do without it.

For Sale

John Deere 350 Bulldozer, blade, which, canopy (completely rebuilt), \$12,500. 824-3342 nights. 25-27

78 Ford F-250 4x4, 4 speed, 6 cyl., 8" quick switch, low, low mileage. 824-3342 nights. 26-27

FOR SALE - Westinghouse electric stove, good condition, \$75. Call 824-3283. 26

YARD SALE - Sat., June 30, 9:30 - 2 p.m. Bennett's West Bethel. 26p

KNAPP SHOES - Authorized Agent, Stan Fox Barber Shop, Tel. 824-2729 after 5 p.m. 25p

1980 GLF Subaru - complete with sunroof, foglights, air, and music, horns, AM/FM cassette, and CB. High mileage. \$2,800. 824-2419. Sharon Daye. 25p

Real Estate

NORTH POND. Two full acres on North Pond and the Gore Road. Southern Exposure, field, woods, soil tested. Exceptional building site for permanent or vacation home. \$19,500. Call Gillies Realty 824-3211. 25p

HOUSE FOR SALE - Approx. 750 sq. ft., 5 rooms, constructed '40-'41, must be moved. 836-3203. 25-28p

NORTH POND. Approximately 4 acres, flanking Gore Road, with 650' more or less, on the Pond. Views, privacy, potential. \$25,500. Call Gillies Realty, 824-3211. 25p

RECREATIONAL CAMP in Ma-son Twp. is fully furnished. 2 acres plus 500 ft. (-/-) river frontage. Year-round access. Sleeps 6. Great buy for only \$9,000. Strout Realty, Hanover, 364-8076. 23p

CONCORD POND. One acre on the Pond with approximately 242' frontage. Great summer/swimming/fishing spot. \$8,000. Call Gillies Realty, 824-3211. 25p

Mason Street, Bethel - 3 or 4 bedroom home, kitchen, dining area, family room, living room, full bath, attached 2-car garage, front and rear porches, oil or wood heat, town water and sewage, convenient to stores, schools and other town facilities. \$41,000. Strout Realty, Hanover, 364-8076. 11p

Wanted

Wanted - Small house out of town, to rent or lease, for one to two years. Call 875-5183, 824-2745. 26-27p

WANTED - Used firearms. Scopes sold, mounted and sighted. Will buy, sell or trade. Reg Gilbert, 836-3113. 26

WANTED TO BUY - Old Stocks & Bonds - coins - military items - railroad items - tools - antiques & most collectible items: Brian Harvey, Box 890, Burgess Hill, Rumford, 364-7047. 15p

WANTED TO BUY - Scrap metal. Home evenings and week ends. RAYMOND CHAPMAN, 836-2585. 39p

PCD Business Service, complete bookkeeping service, state and federal tax reports, Patricia Dooen, Bethel, 824-2400. 20p

OLSON'S GENERAL REPAIR. Welding - Car Repair - Snowmobile parts, new and used. Call after 5 - 824-2970. 12-10p-if

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high school for students with serious school and family adjustment problems, special education tutor; Logosipulolu College, Savai'i, Western Samoa, full time form teacher at a New Zealand Mission Secondary School for village children of the less developed island of Western Samoa; High Point School, Lenox, Mass., teacher for six autistic adolescent males at a private residential school.

Mr. Elliott has a B.A. from Nascon College, Springvale; M.S.T., Colby College, and has taken courses at the National Outdoor Leadership School, Lander, Wyo., Colorado State University at Fort Collins, Salem (Mass.), State College, and UNH at Durham. He has done substitute teaching in Auburn, Lewiston, Turner and Rumford schools. Professional experience includes teaching from 1968-75 at Rockport (Mass.) High School and he is the founder and director of the East-West Wilderness School.

Mrs. Baldwin has a B.S. in elementary education from the University of Maine, Gorham Campus. She taught from 1972 to 1978 in the third grade at Crescent Park School. Since then she has substituted in the Pinellas County, Fla., school system and at St. Paul's School, later teaching fourth grade at St. Paul's School. Since 1982 she has taught sixth grade at North Country School, Lake Placid, N.Y.

Mr. Jenkins holds a B.S. in elementary education from the University of Maine at Farmington, with an area of concentration in psychology. He did his practice teaching in the schools of Dixfield and Mexico, and has had extensive substitute work in the same systems. He has also participated in an Education Practicum at the New Sharon Elementary School, and Creative Discipline Seminars at the U. of M. Mexico Center.

The Board approved job descriptions for the positions of Assistant Principal/Athletic Director for Telstar and for Study Hall Aides.

The Superintendent was granted authorization to post vacancies in the following positions: Half-time Special Education Teacher for Bethel Bishop School; Full-time Secondary self-contained Composite Room Teacher.

(The following were appointed as substitute custodians: John Droll, Dennis Dreher, Scott Dyer and Candy Farnum.

The Board approved the re-allocation of funds within the fiscal year 1984 budget in the amount of \$48,581.53 to balance Programs/Fundations that showed a shortfall as

Help Wanted

Full time dental assistant in Bethel. Experience preferred but not required. Must be cheerful and friendly. Send resume to P. O. Box 570, Bethel, Maine 04217. 26-27

WANTED - Experienced woods crews with skidders. Call F. T. Yates Logging, evenings before 9:00. 824-3281. 24p

DEMONSTRATORS: Earn \$1,000 or more selling name brand toys and gifts. Treasure House party plan. Call Turner 1-225-2874. Also booking parties. 23-26

Business Opportunities

Own your own Jean-Sportswear, Ladies Apparel, Combination, Accessories, Large Size store. National brands: Sears, Roebuck, Chico, Lee, Levi, Vanderbilt, Izod, Gunne Sax, Esprit, Britannia, Calvin Klein, Sergio Valente, Evan Picone, Claiborne, Members Only, Bill Blass, Organically Grown, Healthtex, 600 others. \$7,900 to \$24,900, inventory, airfare, training, fixtures, grand opening, etc. Mr. Keenan (305) 678-3639. 26p

Miscellaneous

Parents Anonymous, Monday evening, 6:30 - 8, Bethel Library. 20p

Al-Anon, Wednesday, 8 p.m., Telstar Regional High School. 28p

AA meets Wednesday, 8 p.m., at Telstar Regional High School. 21p

EARS PIERCED - \$7.50, Sat-urday, 3 to 6. See Chuck, Prim's Pharmacy, Main St., Bethel. 45p

BENNETT'S UPHOLSTERY - Home and office furniture, antique and modern. Call for free estimates, quality workmanship at very reasonable prices. 824-2336. 15p

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GLASS REPLACEMENT - Auto Glass - Comb. Windows - Sales and Repairs. Twin Town Glass, 45 Main St., Norway, Maine. Tel. 743-6478. 13p

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ALA URGES 4th DRIVERS TO KEEP COOL

Hot-headed motorists with explosive tempers should give the wheel to drivers with cooler heads over the Fourth of July period, the ALA Auto & Travel Club has advised.

"Drivers with low boiling points and short fuses need to recognize that heavy holiday traffic usually makes summer trips steamier than predicted," Huntington D. Lord, ALA vice president, said.

"The last thing New England needs on its roads are drivers with explosive tendencies," Lord said. "Leave the explosives to the pyrotechnic specialists. Don't bring them on the roads."

"A motorist with a short fuse can be more dangerous than fireworks close at hand. In the heat of the moment, a tragic accident could result," Lord said.

(The ALA official urged all drivers to "anticipate delays in holiday traffic and to keep cool at all costs."

In and About Bethel

— Virginia A. Walker, Corres. —

Alvin Stevens has been a surgical patient at Stephens Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lumney have returned from a week's vacation at Pine Point.

Steven Swan and friend, Susan, of Zephyrhills, Fla., are visiting relatives in town.

Mrs. Barbara Stevens returned to her home Saturday following surgery at a Farmington hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Perkins attended an 81st birthday party for Mrs. Perkins' aunt, Olive Dodge, in Phillips, Sunday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Dodge, brother of Miss Dodge.

Dave and Ned Robertson, Cleveland Heights, Ohio, visited their mother, Mrs. Edie Robertson, over the week end. Mrs. Robertson's son, Dennis, and family of Virginia were also visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Seaver of Marlborough, N. H., were visitors at the home of their daughter and family, Rev. and Mrs. Guy Downing last week. Emily Downing returned to her grandparents' home for a visit. Randy Downing is visiting his uncle, John Downing in Campton, N. H.

the close of the fiscal year approaches. The anticipated final balance for fiscal year 1984, which ends June 30, 1984, is \$2,465.49.

The Directors voted to extend the fiscal year 1984 contract of Burnie Rice, Supervisor of Buildings and Grounds, for two weeks. A contract for fiscal year 1985 is scheduled for Board action at its July 9 meeting. Mr. Rice returned to work on June 25 after an extended leave of absence due to illness.

The Superintendent was authorized to start legal research on returning the Raymond C. Foster School structure and one-quarter of the adjacent land to the Town of Newry.

The Board granted a one-year extension of the lease between S.A.D. 44 and the Northern Oxford Vocational Area (N.O.V.A.) permitting utilization of the Raymond C. Foster School property as the site of N.O.V.A.'s Forestry Program.

Dewaine B. Craig, Superintendent of Schools, stated that the Superintendent's Office would be closed on Wednesday, July 4. The Superintendent will be in the office the mornings of July 5 and 6. Other Central Office personnel will be on vacation July 5-6.

Board members not present Wednesday evening: Al Barth, Bethel; Sylvia Cross, John Haines, Greenwood; Rick McVey, Newry; Sheryl Wilbur, Woodstock.

The next meeting of the S.A.D. 44 Board is scheduled for Monday evening, July 9, at 7:30 in the Telstar Library.

Robert, Scot, Dale and Randal Stevens and Matt Brooks went deep sea fishing, Saturday.

PUBLIC NOTICE
Pursuant to 30 MRSA 4355, the Municipal Officers of the Town of Bethel will hold a public hearing on Thursday, June 28, at 7:00 p.m., in the Town Office Meeting Room on the following proposed sewer rate change:

—Increase in the sewer user service charge from \$19.50 per 1,000 cu. ft. with a 2,000 cu. ft. per quarter minimum to \$20.50 per 1,000 cu. ft. with a 2,000 cu. ft. per quarter minimum. 25-26

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AREA SENIORS WIN ARMY SCHOLAR/ATHLETE AWARDS

The U. S. Army has announced the local winners of the prestigious Scholar/Athlete Award.

The Army Reserve annually presents its Scholar/Athlete medalion, similar in design to the Olympic medal, to the top scholar/athletes in high schools across the country.

Rumford area winners are William J. Bennett and Gayle Burns. Their awards were presented to them at a school assembly on June 15 by Army representative, Staff Sgt. Laurence Campbell.

Dirigo High School in Dixfield has two winners—Wayne K. Clark and Joan C. Nash. They received their awards at a general awards assembly.

Gerri Gauthier and Darren Tripp are Scholar/Athlete winners at Telstar Regional High School in Bethel, and they received their awards at the school awards assembly.

Mexico High School winners are Christine E. Arbor and Jamie Paul Marshall, and the school recently presented their medalions and certificates to them.

Winners are selected on their combined superior academic performance as well as outstanding athletic ability. The Army Reserve sponsors the awards as part of a commitment to the academic and physical well-being of the nation's youth. They seek to inspire high school students to "Be All They Can Be" by seeking total mental, physical and character development.

In the past, winners of the Army Reserve Scholar/Athlete Award have included star players in sports from football to rodeo. Many of the winners are also valedictorians or salutatorians of their graduating class.

So congratulations to these winners—all outstanding young Americans!

SGT. SWEETSER COMPLETES COURSE AT CAMP LEJEUNE

Marine Sgt. Samuel F. Sweetser Jr., whose wife, Cindy, is the daughter of Leroy Learned of Bethel, and Virginia Learned of Rumford, recently completed the Journeyman Engineer Equipment Mechanic Course.

The five-month course was conducted at the Marine Corps Engineer School, Camp Lejeune, N. C. Students received instruction in maintenance management, familiarization with the operation of engineer equipment, and extensive training in troubleshooting and repairing gasoline and diesel engines.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Howe were camping at Camp Segun, Georgetown, over the week end.

Guests of Mrs. Hilda Donahue last week were Mrs. Arlene Williams and grandson, Alan Kitchin of North Carolina, and Mrs. Joe Herzing and two children of Belgrade Lakes. Mrs. Richard Jamison of Mars Hill spent the week end at the Donahue home.

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Set in by Viva Whitman:

Guess Russell was up bright and early on Monday morning as he arrived in Lewiston, at my daughter's home at about eight o'clock. He came to get me to come home and at the same time to look at a car that I had tried out and liked. I wanted him to try it also, as he does most of the driving, whether it is his vehicle or mine. My legs aren't what they might be, so I let him drive. Russell worked in the garden when we got home and then in the evening, we got some real funny looks as people drove by. We were putting up a contraption to let the red beans run up when they are ready. Russell said he bet folks wondered what us crazy folks were up to. Whatever it was, I'm sure they didn't know, but wait until the bean vines climb those ropes and blossom; then people can enjoy a sight for the eyes. They are so pretty when all the red blossoms come out on them and the beans are good for string beans too, so they fill a double purpose, to be a pretty flower and vegetable too.

Had to keep an appointment in South Paris on Tuesday and do other errands, so here again, Russell drove for me as I was unable to do it myself. Had lunch and saw our cousin's daughter as we do many times. She is a busy waitress.

Did a little typing on Thursday morning as time is growing short to get poems in for the Grange contest and I wanted to enter. Got third place last year and might be lucky enough to do it again. It is better than nothing, and I have the poems to add to my collection too. Also had to go to North Bridgton to see my doctor and try to get straightened out. Wish someone could get me back to what I used to be, but guess it is useless to try at this point of the game, though I keep hoping for a miracle.

Was glad that Friday turned out to be a good day as Russell and I left early for Lewiston for my daughter to drive us to Augusta to get a copy of the title for my old car so I could pick up the car I was trading for. We made sure we stayed on the right side of the bridge so we could get back all right. Got the job done and came back to Lewiston, left my daughter and granddaughter, then went to Auburn to get the car. It took time and was lunch time by then, so Russell and I went for a bite to eat. He told the salesman he didn't know as I would let him drive my new car, but had the privilege of driving it home and has driven it what use it has gotten since, as I have been in no condition to drive any car. It is a '78, but has been kept up in good shape so looks pretty snazzy. All I hope is that it lasts a long time and runs as good as it does now. It has low mileage on it so should last for some time.

Had to go to town on Saturday to get groceries and do the wash, but very essential things to do, so did it early in the morning. Got home and Russell mowed the lawn to make it look better and did a little work around the place, but as it was Grange Night, we didn't overdo. We are getting old I guess because when we are out at night, we are very tired the next day. Not good for much, so to speak. It was election of officers and it is hard to elect them where there are so few who come. However, we did the best we could and hope everyone will co-operate with us for the coming year. Master, Laura Hutchins; Overseer, Paul Billings; Lecturer, Viva Whitman; Steward, Linna Blake; Secretary, Russell Yates; Assistant Steward, Raymond Tripp, Jr.; Lady Assistant Steward, Connie Tripp; Chap-

NOTICE OF FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT
(EA) has been prepared for the Establishment of Riley Training Site in Riley Township, Oxford County, Maine.

Based on this EA, a Finding of No Significant Impact (FNSI) has been prepared which summarizes the proposal and sets forth the reasons why an Environmental Impact Statement will not be prepared.

The public is invited to review and comment on both the EA and the FNSI.

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Also a limited number of the documents are available for mailing to interested persons by writing to the above address or by calling (207) 622-4331, Ext. 4237, The Point of Contact is MAJ Donovan G. Lajoie, P.E.

Written, substantive comments received at the above address within 14 days of the published notice will be made a part of the EA.
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Newry

— Miss Amy Hanscom, Corres. —

Communion services were held at the Newry Community Church Sunday morning. The title of Pastor Hanscom's sermon was "To Love is to Hate", with Scripture from Nahum Chapter 1. Scott Wright assisted with the service.

Amy and Roger Hanscom spent the day at their place here Saturday. Ruth and Arthur Cummings called on them and mowed the lawn. They also called on Arthur's sister, Eleanor Morton.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Tetley, Coventry, R. I., were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Tetley.

Suzanne Hayner, Glastonbury, Conn., was a week end guest of Mary Tripp. Jerry Scott, Warren, N. J., was a guest a few days last week while fishing.

Ernestine McDonald, Hartford, Conn., is visiting Katie Scott for an extended period.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hillier, West Campton, N. H., have been spending some time at their place in town. They expect to be moved in early in July.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Powers were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Powers Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Powers and family, Norway, were Sunday guests.

Mark Harrington, Portland, has been visiting his mother, Sylvia Harrington.

Willard, Sylvia and Gretchen Wright, attended the Chase Reunion at Wothley Pond, at the home of Verna Wilken, last week.

Beatrice James, Falmouth, visited Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wright one afternoon last week.

Congratulations to the "Citizen" Browns.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wright went to Skowhegan Sunday. They had a picnic with Mr. and Mrs. David Wright and family. Ryan Wright returned home with them for a visit.

The children will be attending Pleasant Valley Bible School this week and next.

Friends and neighbors are invited to the Annual Fourth of July Pot Luck Picnic at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wright at noon July 4. Bean Hole Beans and rolls will be served.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wright attended the 50th wedding anniversary party of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pendleton, Island Falls, at the home of their son in law in Scarborough. Then they visited Glad-

Grace came down for a few minutes and as usual her fingers were busy knitting. She keeps something going all the time and I only wish I could do the things I used to do, but this junk I have, just won't let me, so I do what I can and then wish I could do more. I don't like to sit idle and don't any more than I can help, but once in a while it seems to be necessary. Looks like it might really rain and maybe we need a little for the gardens but I'm afraid it helps the weeds more. When it rains it seems as if they jump right out of the ground and make more work for a fellow whether he can do all the work that needs doing or not. Oh well, guess that is life!

Will be out of state for next month. Anyone who could visit my mother at Victoria Villa Nursing Home during this time please do so.

Also person from Bryant Pond who borrowed my live trap please return it.

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ROTARY CLUB NEWS
The Bethel Rotary Club met at the Sudbury Inn on June 26 for its regular luncheon meeting. The program consisted of the installation of officers for the 1984-85 period. Jim Monahan is the incoming President; President-elect is Bryce Yates; Lennie Shaw, Vice President; Romeo Baker, Director of Community Service; Roger Comant, Director of Club Service; Bill Judson, Director of International Services, and Bill Clough, Director of Vocational Services. The other committee chairmen will be announced next week. The membership gave a round of applause in appreciation of the fine work and leadership furnished by Bob Chadbourne as president of the Club this past year. As a token of appreciation the Club presented Bob with a diamond studded Rotary pin. The Club was delighted to welcome a new member into Rotary at this meeting. Steven Calliomas was sponsored by his father who presented him with his Rotary pin.

The 10th anniversary party held at Romeo Baker's was a great success. Thanks to the hard work and good planning of Jo Stevens, Romeo, Randy, his wife and other Rotary Ams, everyone had a ball! Guests and visiting Rotarians

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North Paris— **Eveline B. Vatcher, Corres.** —

Our summer has begun and already the days are beginning to get shorter. Let's enjoy the sun and showers while we may, also the early sun rises and beautiful sunsets. The mother birds have their young on the wires and on the ground for their daily lessons.

Congratulations to the Bethel Citizen's Printers for receiving the Henry H. Hastings Community Service Award on June 17. A true family group.

Eveline Vatcher was at the doctor's office Monday and at Norway hospital for stomach x-rays Wednesday. Evelyn Chamberlin and daughter, Susan Litchfield, our neighbors were at the doctor's also.

David Lyons was painting on June 17 and as he was coming down, the ladder gave away and he fell breaking two bones in his ankle. He was taken to Stephens Memorial Hospital by Tri Town Ambulance. He returned home on Tuesday. He had a lot of work planned for the summer months so he didn't bother to plant a garden. It doesn't pay to plan too far ahead. Just take one day at a time.

Dr. Sidney M. Schmittke, the allergy doctor, had an accident and fractured his left arm and right knee so we don't expect to see him for awhile. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Mrs. Eva Swan of Locke Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bailey spent the week end at Rochester, N. H. Mrs. Florence Isley will observe her 97th birthday this week.

and she works in the barn and rides the tractor. It helps to keep her young.

Joe Vatcher and Mrs. Nikk Bailey picked 20 quarts of cultivated strawberries for the Community Club supper on July 28. Doris Lawrence and Eveline hulled the berries and put them in the freezer. Once in a while they sampled them.

Callers at Lawrences: Arnold Coffin, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vatcher, Karen Merrill and James Edgar, Barbara Felt, Sharon and Jenny, Rhoda Vatcher, Stevie Millett, Madelyn Herrick, Albert Penley and Dougie.

Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. Root Lawrence visited Polly Lawrence. Pete was fishing. They also visited Amanda Heath.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Isley spent several days at Fort Jackson, S. C., with their son, Scott, who is a cook in Airborne Division, U. S. Army, and he likes it there very much.

Robert Isley has had a fun week fishing with Joe Vatcher. June 25 he went to Lewiston then on to Portland for his physical for the U. S. Air Force and he's quite excited about it. His buddy is already at the Air Force Base in Texas.

Harlan Abbott is having two weeks of vacation from Stowell's Silk Spool Co.

Joe Vatcher has started picking his strawberries and the birds holler and jabber at him but he keeps on picking. The birds get their share. Some animal had been digging at Joe's glad bulbs so he set a wire trap and caught a nice fat skunk. He offered him free to anyone wanting a good fresh stew but no one was interested.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Brown of North Dakota are visiting her mother, Mrs. Sarah Grover for a few weeks.

Mrs. Helen Jewell of Waterford called on friends here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry McAllister and family are visiting his brother, Dennis, and family for a few days.

Mrs. Martha Littlefield and two children of Samoa are visiting her parents, the Vails, for a few months. Her husband, Neil Littlefield, will join her in August.

Mr. and Mrs. Ameral of Rhode Island, visited Dell Merrill Thursday. They haven't seen each other for 40 years. They were buddies in the service during World War II. Dell is building a log cabin on Mt. Foster.

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Magalloway & Wilson's Mills— **Alice Harvey, Corres.** —

Isa McGinley and Isabelle were in Littleton one day last week for the 25th anniversary of Delta Kappa Gamma.

Donna, Anne and Alice were in Colebrook for a bit of shopping on Thursday.

The Five Sisters got together at Lorraine Holman's home in Dixfield on Saturday to celebrate the birthdays of Marie Cooper, Littleton, and Karen Clohosey, Rumford. They received cards and many gifts. A delicious sit down luncheon was enjoyed. The other sisters are Sylvia Mercier, Rumford Center, and Alice Harvey, Magalloway.

A Grange supper was held Saturday evening. After the supper, inspection was held by Deputy Lewis Bisbee and Assistant Myrtle Bisbee.

Jerry and Nancy Carwin were in Camden for the 50th wedding anniversary celebration of Nancy's parents.

Mike and Nancy Turmenne of Bangor were weekenders of Nancy's parents, Larry and Anne Bragg.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Millett and family have arrived from California and are staying at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tripp.

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Bryant Pond— **Mrs. Alice F. Hoyt, Corres.** —

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Beatrice Farnum was Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Chase and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ring were Saturday visitors of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Ring.

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Dunham are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

Friday, June 22, Verma Swan, Hazel Brooks, Beatrice Farnum, Crystal Chase and Alice Hoyt, attended the Daughters of Union Veterans Granddaughters' Breakfast at Waterville and some of the convention. Congratulations to the new officers.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Hathaway have returned from a trip to Ohio with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Jordan, to visit their granddaughter, Della Jordan.

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FROM THE BETHEL LIBRARY

Starting Tuesday, July 3, the Bethel Library will be having a "Reading Hour" for children in grades K through 6. This will be conducted every Tuesday for the next six weeks and be from 10-11 a. m. All Bethel area children and their friends are welcome to join the fun. Reading can be a great way to relax after a day of swimming and summer activities. So come to "Reading Hour" for fun and to borrow your favorite books. See you at the Library!

North East Lovell— **Pauline Smith, Corres.** —

Linda Allen and Scottie took Iva Fox, Ada Malia, Pauline Smith and called on Marion Kendall at the Health Care Facility in South Paris on Friday.

Lewis Rowe has returned from the Norway hospital after being away since Monday.

The Jerry Nelsons of Massachusetts called at Leroy Smith's Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Smith visited at Stephen and Jane Henderson's at West Lovell.

Saw two deer; nice to know there are still some around.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Estes of Brunswick were here at their home on Cushman Pond Road, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bellaska were here at their home over the week end.

Iva Fox had dinner at Peter Fox's Sunday evening. Travis and Troy came over to their grandmother's to stay all night.

Mrs. Jane Fox Campbell and three children of Seattle, Wash., visited Joan's folks this week.

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The Bergerons have traded their large truck for a pick-up and purchased a camper for same.

The Korhons of West Bethel visited her parents, Sunday.

We have some sleek 'all black' kittens which need homes.

Congratulations to the Bethel Citizen and the Browns concerning the Henry Hastings Award. It is well deserved. I feel good to be allowed to be a part of this folksy, friendly publication the past few years.

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MARTIN FAMILY REUNION

There will be a family reunion for the descendants of Lyman and Harriett (Herrick) Martin, whose children were: Cora Belle, Eliza Jane, Royal Thomas, Ellen Marie, Esther Angie, Lucinda Small, Charles Henry, Rawson Lyman, Ernest Forrest and Elizabeth B. ta, on July 7, 1984 (rain or shine), from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m., at the American Legion Hall, Gore Road, Locke Mills, just off Route 26, watch for Martin sign.

Each family is requested to bring their own picnic lunch so there won't be any cooking, also bring their own plates, napkins, drinks and cups. Coffee, tea and hot cups will be provided.

It is hoped that those attending can bring some old pictures, to go with one taken of a 1921 reunion.

(Anyone who can play a musical instrument is asked to bring it so that there may be entertainment.)

A large turn out is hoped for. Anyone having any questions may contact Forrest and Daphne Martin, R.F.D. #1 Box 2150, Norway, Maine 04268. Tel.: house-743-2991, store-743-9896.

John and Ruth Fox, of North East Lovell.

A food sale at the Center Lovell Church, Saturday, 10-2 o'clock.

Ruth Fox of West Lovell and Norma Johnstone and children called on Pauline Smith, Saturday.

Pearly Down of Lovell, Christian Hill, passed away this week. Our sympathy is with this family.

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MRS. IRENE B. HALL

Mrs. Irene B. Hall of South Paris died Tuesday, June 19, 1984, at Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway, following a short illness.

She was born at Bethel, Feb. 2, 1921, the daughter of Walter and Mabel Glines Blake. She attended Bethel schools and Gould Academy and for many years was employed as a lab technician at Marcal Paper Company, Mechanic Falls. She was a life member of Divinal Chapter, O.E.S., Mechanic Falls. She was married to Ray E. Cotton Jr. Following his death she was married to Edward T. Hall.

Survivors include her husband of South Paris; a daughter, Mrs. Phyllis Copp of Mechanic Falls; five sons, Leonard Cotton of Greenwood City, Arthur Cotton of Hamden, Gary and Larry Cotton, both of Mechanic Falls, Alan Cotton of South Paris; 17 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Friday, June 22, from the Raymond Funeral Home, Mechanic Falls, with Rev. Arthur Cotton officiating. Interment was in Maple Grove Cemetery, Mechanic Falls. Bearers were members of the family.

MATOLCSY ART CENTER NORWAY, OPENS JULY 3

The Lajos Matolcsy Art Center located on Main Street, Norway, will open its summer program of exhibits sponsored by the Western Maine Art Group, on Tuesday, July 3, with the 23rd Annual Members show. A great variety of art work in several media will be on display from this group which consists of artists from several localities in western Maine which includes Norway, South Paris, West Paris, Jay, Woodstock, Bethel, Lewiston, Portland and Naples.

A reception open to the public will be given for the artists Tuesday evening of opening day, from 6 p. m. to 8 p. m. at the Center. All are welcome.

The Art Center will be open daily, Tuesday - Saturday, 10:30 a. m. to 3:30 p. m.

NOTES FROM THE WOODSTOCK HISTORICAL SOC.

As we approach the 4th of July, perhaps it might be appropriate to stop and take stock of our patriotic literary heritage. It is amazing how many famous American writers composed poems and essays on patriotism. It seems to have been one of their favorite subjects. And in years gone by many of these works were avidly studied in grammar schools across the country. Students frequently memorized the lines and remembered them for life. While that fashion has now faded, and perhaps due to extended peace, we have a more faded attitude toward nationalism. It still behooves us to recognize the real accomplishments in this genre at this time of the year.

Consider the following lines by John Greenleaf Whittier from a poem called "Centennial Hymn," a work celebrating the 100th birthday of the Republic:

For art and labor met in truce,
For beauty made the bride of use,
We thank Thee; but, withal, we crave
The austere virtues strong to save,
The honor proof to place or gold,
The manhood never bought nor sold!
Oh make Thou us, through centuries long
In peace secure, in justice strong;
Around our gift of freedom draw
The safeguards of Thy righteous law;
And, cast in some diviner mold,
Let the new cycle shame the old!
Even after all these years, these lines are still affecting.



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EAST BETHEL ROAD TO BE REPRINTED

Through the cooperation of the family of Eva Bean, the Bethel Historical Society is pleased to announce plans to reprint her classic local history, "East Bethel Road" which first appeared 25 years ago in 1959. The 450-page book will be entirely reprinted along with numerous maps and photographs. Containing a wealth of genealogical data with surveys of each house and building site in the eastern and southern portions of the town, the book also includes histories of Bethel churches, Gould Academy and important developments in the town's past. It is expected to become available late in 1984.

The 1984 edition will also include about 100 extra pages bringing the family histories and house sit surveys up to date. It will also feature an essay about changes in East Bethel in the last 25 years.

PERMIT NEEDED TO POSSESS OR USE FIREWORKS IN MAINE

Citizens are reminded that having or using fireworks without a permit is a violation of Maine law.

"The tragedy is not just disobeying the law, but the serious injury that can result, as happened when four people were hospitalized a couple years ago after their car exploded from fireworks they were transporting in Maine," said Commissioner Arthur A. Stilphen of the Maine Department of Public Safety.

During the Fourth of July holiday period, the Maine State Police will be assisting the State Fire Marshal by enforcing the law and bringing to their attention any fireworks accidents, Stilphen said.

"The only fireworks legal in Maine are paper or plastic caps, unless it is an exhibition for which a permit has been issued by the State Fire Marshal's Office," said State Fire Marshal Donald Bisset. Bisset said, "More than 2,000 pounds of illegal fireworks were recently intercepted and confiscated by State Fire Investigators assisting local and county law enforcement agencies. Maine Law (Title 8, section 211) says, 'no person shall sell or keep or offer for sale or use, explode or cause to explode any combustible, explosive composition or substitute.' This includes firecrackers, roman candles, sky rockets, M-8 type salute fireworks, etc."

The penalty for not obeying the law is \$100 fine, one month imprisonment or both.

DIED

In Norway, June 19, Irene B. Hall of South Paris, native of Bethel, aged 63 years.

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written by East Bethel native, Society Director Stanley R. Howe. An expanded index by Agnes H. Haines will also be included and the dust jacket will be a color copy of Susie Kimball's watercolor painting of Middle Intervale looking east in 1880.

Eva Marion Bean was born in East Bethel in 1895. She graduated from Gould Academy in 1913, Colby College in 1917 and received her R. N. in 1922 from Presbyterian Hospital in New York. Long interested in local history, she spent more than five years researching and writing "East Bethel Road." She also was the founder and first secretary of the Bethel Historical Society organized in 1966. She died in 1969. Her notebooks, many of which were assembled during the writing of "East Bethel Road," are now in the Society archives which were named in her honor in 1976.

The new edition to be printed on acid-free paper with an expected life of approximately 300 years is being offered to the public at a special pre-publication discount. After publication the cost will increase. Because of the great demand anticipated for this book and



Eva M. Bean

the limited number of copies to be offered for sale, anyone interested in obtaining one should place an order as soon as possible. Inquiries should be directed to the Bethel Historical Society, P. O. Box 12, Bethel, Maine 04217 or call (207) 824-2908.

PILGRIM FELLOWSHIP RETURNS FROM NEW YORK CITY TRIP

The Pilgrim Fellowship of West Parish Congregational Church returned Friday afternoon from its trip to New York City and northern New Jersey.

During the adventure-filled five days they were away, members of the group visited Yale University, the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, Riverside Church, Columbia University, the Interchurch Center, the United Church Board for World Ministries, the World Trade Towers, Battery Park, Wall Street, two different YMCA's, the United Church of Christ national offices, the United Nations, Fifth Avenue shops, Central Park, Greenwich Village, Rockefeller Center, the Empire State Building (at night), Chinatown, the New Jersey Meadowlands Sports Complex and regional dump site, Liberty Park, and New Jersey suburban neighborhoods, and shopping malls. They travelled the highways, tunnels and bridges with New York's four million commuters, experienced urban traffic and parking problems, and rode the subways through the city.

Everyone came home with a much better understanding of city life and an appreciation for the challenges that must be faced in dealing with urban homelessness, starvation in Third World countries where church missionaries are at work, and the balancing of land use in the Meadowlands where the Sports Complex, corporate office parks, housing developments, 55,000 tons of garbage per week, and the environmentally concerned forces struggle to determine the future of what was formerly considered "worthless swamp."

The Pilgrim Fellowship is very grateful to all who made the trip

following categories:

Certificates to all participants—Awards presented to the 1st place finishers (Male and Female) in each tri-athlete division, 1st team in age division (Male, Female and mixed).

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For more information or to register, visit the Oxford Hills YMCA office at Norway Lake Park, or call 743-7184.

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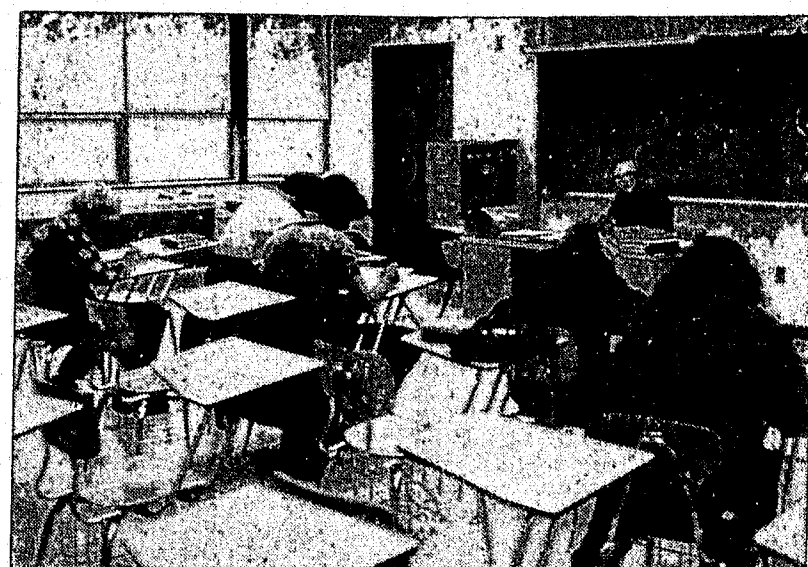
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**TELSTAR REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL HOLDS ITS FIRST SUMMER SCHOOL**

A six week remedial summer school program began at Telstar Regional High School on Monday, June 18. Twenty-three students are enrolled in four different classes to make-up work and earn credit for courses they failed this past school year.

The Telstar Summer School has two morning class sessions (7:30-9:30 and 9:45-11:45). The first Telstar Summer School program offers Algebra I, English, Geography, World History and U. S. History courses. The teachers of these courses are Mrs. Sally Wilson (Algebra I), Rodney Abbott (English and U. S. History), and Charles Raymond (Geography and World History).

Of the 23 students enrolled, three possible through support of the group's workdays, car wash, food sale, and yard sale during the past year. It was an experience that none will forget.

Those participating in the adventure were Keith Clanton, Derek Dresser, Kevin Powell, Lisa Clanton, Janine Conant, Eva Blake, Karen Gould, Keith Wight, Eric Wight, Jay Davis, and advisors Brendon Bass, Shirley Powell, Kris Atherton and Steve Wight.

TELSTAR SUMMER SCHOOL CLASS IN PROGRESS

Pictured above is Rodney Abbott's U. S. History class offered by the Telstar Summer School. This course is one of four being offered during this six week remedial program. Commencing June 18 and ending July 27, 23 students (grades 8-12) will have earned make-up credit for their participation and efforts.

students from Mexico High School travel daily to Telstar. These three students are the only ones enrolled from other area high schools. There are also three eighth grade students and 17 ninth, tenth, 11th and 12th graders registered for these Summer School courses. Classes average from 5-7 students in size.

Telstar Summer School Director Daniel Hart believes the students enjoy their "second opportunity" to make-up school work. He believes now that the Telstar Summer School has been established, its reputation will produce more classes, more students and less enrollment registration costs next summer.

Telstar Summer School will end on Friday, July 27. In order to earn credit and make-up failed classes, students must also maintain perfect attendance throughout this six week remedial program.

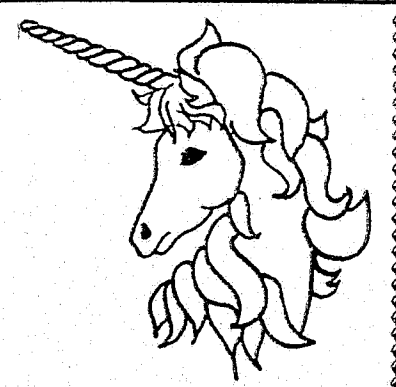
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